

**STATE OF ILLINOIS**

**ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION**

<b>Illinois Commerce Commission</b>	:	
<b>On Its Own Motion</b>	:	
<b>-vs-</b>	:	<b>00-0086</b>
<b>Leonard J. Dabler, Jr. d/b/a Coin</b>	:	
<b>Activated Telephones</b>	:	
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<b>Citation for failure to file Annual Report</b>	:	

**ORDER**

By the Commission:

On February 9, 2000, the Illinois Commerce Commission ("Commission") entered an Order in this docket citing Leonard J. Dabler, Jr. d/b/a Coin Activated Telephones ("Respondent") for failure to maintain its corporate status with the Illinois Secretary of State. This Order was served on Respondent on February 10, 2000. The Order directed Respondent to appear at a hearing in Springfield, Illinois on March 16, 2000 to present evidence and to show cause, if any there be, why the Commission should not rescind or suspend Respondent's certificate of service authority ("certificate") and take other appropriate action.

The Commission's February 9, 2000 Order states that a Staff Report dated January 12, 2000 and issued by the Chief Clerk of the Commission, recounts that Respondent has failed to file its 1998 Annual Report by March 31, 1999, as required by Section 5-109 of the Public Utilities Act ("Act") and 83 Ill. Adm. Code. Section 10-113 of the Act authorizes the Commission to look into the Respondent's conduct to determine whether the Respondent should continue to hold the previously granted certificate of service authority.

This matter came on for hearing before a duly authorized Hearing Examiner at the designated time and place. Counsel for the Commission Staff entered an appearance. No appearance was entered on behalf of Respondent. Counsel for Staff recommended that the certificate previously granted to Respondent be revoked since Respondent had failed to file its 1998 Annual Report. At the end of the hearing, the record was marked "Heard and Taken." A Hearing Examiner's Proposed Order was served on Respondent and Staff. No briefs on exceptions were received.

The Commission, having reviewed the entire record and being fully advised in the premises, is of the opinion and finds that the certificate granted to Respondent should be cancelled and revoked.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Illinois Commerce Commission that the certificate of service authority granted to Leonard J. Dabler, Jr. d/b/a Coin Activated Telephones be and is hereby cancelled and revoked.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that resolution of this citation proceeding does not relieve Respondent from the requirements of the Public Utilities Act to file annual reports or to pay any penalty for failure to do so.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that subject to the provisions of Section 10-113 of the Public Utilities Act and 83 Ill. Adm. Code 200.880, this Order is final; it is not subject to the Administrative Review Law.

By order of the Commission this 18th day of October, 2000.

(SIGNED) RICHARD L. MATHIAS

Chairman

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